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**RCE, AMENDMENT, AND RESPONSE PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.114**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 22, 2007, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.